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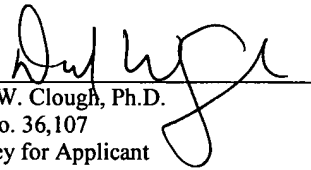
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Attorney for Applicant**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT SUBMITTED
PURSUANT TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS**

Box Non-Fee Amendment
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit herewith the following amendments to the specification which are in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(e)(5). This action is accompanied by a petition for an automatic one-month extension of time and the requisite fee. No other fees are believed to be due, however, should any fees be deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this document, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any such fees from Katten Muchin Zavis Rosenman Deposit Account No. 50-1214.

Please note that amendments to the specification entered in the Preliminary Amendment mailed November 28, 2000 have been included in this amendment for the Examiner's convenience.